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proclamation appointing Mr. J. H. Want, to the Upper House. Mr. Want was also in as a member of the Cabinet, and in the of the day went to the Attorney-General's, where he spent some time renewing his acquaintance with the official duties of that department.

PARLIAMENTARY BUSINESS FOR TO-DAY.—The morning Assembly will meet at half-past 10 o'clock, when the Railway Estimates will be considered. Mr. Bechey is in possession of the In the Council the Crown Lands Bill will receive consideration.

MINISTER OF MINES TO WATKINS.

attended a deputation from Wyalong consisting of Messrs. Crick, M.L.A., A.J. Kelly, ex-M.L.A., and Mr. John Meagher, waited on the Minister for Mines and Agriculture with respect to the position of the Wyalong Registry office at Wyalong. The deputation urged that it should be placed at West Wyalong, where the population was largest. The members of the deputation also urged the Government to pay a visit to Wyalong. Mr. Sydney Smith said he would consider the propositions of the deputation, and that he would return to Wyalong during the Christmas recess. Mr. Sydney Smith has since discussed and visited Wyalong, and also some of the mining holes in the Western district, early in the year. The object of the visit was to

in the Bourke district is chiefly with a view to the irrigation of the land, and the establishment of an irrigation farm at one of the bays. This farm will be provided for out of the £20,000 on the Estimates for agricultural colleges and experimental stations.

WATER SUPPLY WORKS.—The Minister has to state given notice to move,—“That this bill will on Wednesday receive itself into the committee of the House to consider the expediency of bringing in a bill to sanction the construction of a reservoir at the Centennial Park in connection with the Sydney water supply, and to give the said work to rest; it is in the Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.” The Minister has given notice to move,—“That this House will

Wednesday resolve itself into a Committee of Nine to consider the expediency of bringing a bill to amend the Armidale Water Supply Act, 1894."

DEBATE MEMBERS.—Mr. Affleck has given the name to ask the Colonial Secretary, 1. What are the names of those hon. members of this House made speeches between the opening of the session and its close for the Christmas week? 2. How many times did each member speak? 3. How many hours and minutes did each member do each member speak between the mentioned above?

NEW ZEALAND JUDGES IN THE PRIVY COUNCIL.—Mr. O'Grady proposes to ask the Colonial Treasurer, With a view of having Australian Judges

will on the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council to hear appeals from this continent, will assume himself in communication with the Secretaries of State for the Colonies, and also the Secretaries of the other colonies, to bring this about?—
 No, will he in such correspondence suggest that an Australian Judge shall be appointed who shall serve at least 10 years on the Bench of the Supreme Courts of Australia?

REMOVAL OF GRAIN DUTIES.—*Mr. Ross* has given notice to ask the Colonial Treasurer, 1. Will he be aware that his answers to deputation questions on grain duties are causing a deal of uneasiness in commercial circles? 2. Will he be in the House definitely—(a) if the grain tax will be repealed prior to January, 1896?

for the purposes of abolishing the butter, milk, sugar duties, and, if so, on what date? (b) Will he intend to avoid the legislation in regard to the Customs? (c) If so, will he keep the duties on protective manufactures as long as he can to abolish the grain duties? In the assembly yesterday morning the Premier said the Government would come to a decision about the grain duties this week.

of settlement along the North Shore
ray, it is the intention of the proper author-
ity to extend the water supply to Lindfield,
Pymble, Turramurra, Wahroonga, and
Dorsey; and if so, when Mr. Crick is dis-
cussing to the state of the roads from Ken-
sington to La Perouse, to Long Bay, and from
there to La Perouse Road. He is, likewise,
asking a series of questions in regard to the
employment and retirement of Mr. Justice Foster.
Mr. Wilks wants to know if it is true that the
Government is going to proceed at once with the
construction of a tramline from Woolwich Point
to the Hill, to Gladsville, against the wish
of the town residents.

Minister for Mines and Agriculture has been by the member for the Urala-Walwa constituency and by the representatives of the agricultural societies at these centres to open the agricultural shows at Urala and Walwa in March next. Mr. Sydney Smith hopes to be able to accept these invitations.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.—A meeting of the Civil Service Commission was held in the room, Lands Office, yesterday evening. Present were the Messrs. Thomas Littlejohn (President), F. T. Humphreys, M.L.C., James Johnston, J. H. Storey, and Richard Hume, all witnesses examined as Captain Hume, President of the Marine Board.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.—This commission met at 10 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the

day morning, and examined the following names:—John Young, accountant, Emswary; Thomas Mackay (re-examined), Mr. Haskins; Patricia Martin, former attendant at Bell House; John B. Davis, of Newsway, and Gibson.

FISHERIES COMMISSION.—Consequent upon the appointment of the Hon. J. H. Carrothers to the commission appointed to inquire into the state of the fishing industry, a house delay has been caused by the postponement in getting into the water. The other two commissioners, Mr. J. M. L.A. president, and Mr. Lindsay G. (chief inspector of fisheries) have met in an informal manner, and discussed upon which it is proposed that the investigation by the commission should proceed.

acted, this, however, no actual business has been conducted, the members of the commission desiring to be independent to commence work until a gentleman is appointed to the commission. The government having offered the vacant office to Hon. R. H. D. White, and that gentleman has accepted the position, a meeting of the commission will be held to-day.

WOOLWOLMOOOLOO RESUMPTIONS COMMITTEE.—A meeting of the Woolwolmoooloo Land Resumption Committee was held yesterday morning at the Court House, Mr. Morgan (chairman), Mr. Morgan, and Mr. Cann being present. The only business transacted was the examination of the plan submitted by Mr. A. E. Greig, of Maramba, and Mr. Wrench. Shortly before the adjournment yesterday evening a rather severe

discussion took place about the way in which committee had been summoned to meet yesterday morning. Mr. Moleworth and Mr. Barister said they had received no notification from Mr. Moleworth declaring that they were open to him under the circumstances. Mr. Barister said the report of the case would have no weight until certain members were called to attend the committee. Subsequently, however, it was explained that, in permission for the committee to sit last night, they had been obtained yesterday morning, it had been possible to send out the usual notices, and only verbal intimations could be given. Mr. Morgan, the chairman of the committee, said yesterday morning he went to the committee room, he could see sitting at

of the House, Mr. C. A. B. Morgan said he would have no objection to Mr. Lyne's getting the concurrence of the House for the committee to sit. This was done, but Mr. Lyne said he would not attend. Mr. Lyne saw Mr. Fiddington, a member of the committee, but no other members on the Government side were to be seen. Mr. Morgan says he could see neither Mr. Fiddington nor Mr. Ravistart. Letters has been obtained for the committee to sit again this afternoon, when Messrs. E. A. Smith (late Canning), J. G. Hill, and Sheehy will be examined.

TREASURY NOTES.—Only the Treasury during the banking crisis of 1893 worth £1,000,000 outstanding on 1st December. Since then the amount has increased to £1,000,000 less than £355,000 worth were issued.

regarded by the Treasury Department as a
 very remarkable result. It had been ex-
 pected that the Government would have made a
 profit than this out of the notes lost or de-
 stroyed.

ALWAYS TRAFFIC—During the past week the

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George, to destroy the Imperialistic spirit, and
 co. to ourselves to defend ourselves.

President there of the trouble was
 depressed the introduction of the late Pre-
 s. quarrel with the military into the debate.
 was necessary. Mr. Reid pointed out, to secure
 services of skilled officers to train our men
 or that they might be enabled to take the
 themselves. With regard to the edu-
 cation, Mr. Reid pointed out that during
 the past few years substantial reductions
 had been made in the cost of our military

FRESSARD'S FAVOUR CIGARS, under water, and it was feared that she would guard-
agant, spl. value; packs, 8 for 1s.—[Ayer.] capsize and sink. Prior to the collision I was saying

Princess leave Chowder. She was con-
siders a number of officers' wives and
the same footing, as regards the
as Manchester warehouseman.

